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Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

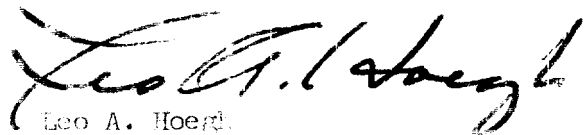
Dear Mr. Dulles:

I am writing this note of appreciation to you to let you know that the National Defense Resources Conference held in Washington, D. C., December 1 - 12, 1958, was an outstanding success. Lt. Gen. George W. Mundy, Commandant of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, concurs in this evaluation.

As you know, the sponsors of this Conference were the National Security Industrial Association, the Washington Board of Trade, and the Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization. Our main objective was to encourage the participation of high level Government personnel and members of the National Defense Executive Reserve in the Conference.

I believe that your response in supporting this Conference helped to bring it to a successful conclusion. Please convey my thanks to the members of your staff who worked in securing participants for the Conference.

Sincerely,


Leo A. Hoegh

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MEMORANDUM FOR: General Cabell

For your information, I am attaching a copy of the 6 November letter that the Agency received from Mr. Hoegh and a copy of Colonel White's reply thereto.

The Director has seen the attached letter and a copy has already been sent to DD/S for information.

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Honorable Leo A. Hough
Director,
Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hough:

Mr. Dulles has asked me to reply to your letter of 6 November 1958 concerning the National Defense Resources Conference to be held in this city during the period December 1-12, 1958. We previously had made arrangements for 12 of our Military Reserve officers to attend, and we are now in the process of determining which of our nonmilitary executive or Executive Reserve personnel would benefit by participation.

We wish to express our appreciation for your calling this conference to our attention.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
L. A. White
Deputy Director

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Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
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Dear Mr. Dulles:

The Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization, in conjunction with the National Security Industrial Association and the Washington Board of Trade, is sponsoring a National Defense Resources Conference to be held at the Departmental Auditorium in Washington, D. C., December 1 - 12, 1958. Problems pertinent to our national security--defense spending, military manpower, technological progress, foreign aid, civil defense, Russia, European satellites, the Far East, the Middle East, strategic and critical materials--and other timely subjects vital to both your Executive Reservists and your executive personnel will be discussed.

I would appreciate it if you would call the Conference to the attention of your agency Executive Reservists as well as to the attention of the appropriate full-time personnel within your agency (personnel at about GS-13 and above) so that those interested may register and attend.

We expect to coordinate Executive Reserve and employee participation through the Interagency Committee on the National Defense Executive Reserve. As you know, your agency is represented on this Interagency Committee. Additional information may be secured from Edward J. Gallagher of this office who may be reached on Code 113, extension 3237.

It will take concerted effort on the part of all departments and agencies if the Government is to do its part in making this December Conference a success. With your cooperation, I feel certain it will be a highly successful one.

Sincerely,

Leo A. Hoegh

Enclosure

Conference Material